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A Form PTO/SB/08 and copies of the reference listed therein are attached.

The references are written in the Japanese language with some English, but one of them (the Sakaguchi et al article) has an English-language abstract.

The references were cited in an Office Action by the Japanese Patent Office on the Japanese application whose priority is claimed in the present US application. An English translation of relevant portions of the Japanese Office Action is attached to provide further English-language information about the relevance of the references. It is noted that claim 19 of the Japanese application corresponds generally to claim 11 of the US application, and that claim 20 of the Japanese application is directed to a recording medium that stores a program.

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